

FISCAL NOTE

TO: Chief Clerk of the Senate
Chief Clerk of the House

FROM: James A. Davenport, Executive Director

DATE: March 18, 1996

SUBJECT: **SB 2672 - HB 2575**

This bill, if enacted, will make changes in aggravating factors for first degree murder sentence for a death penalty or life without parole by reducing the number of victims needed to constitute *mass murder* from three to two.

The fiscal impact from enactment of this bill is estimated to be an increase in state expenditures of \$260,100 for incarceration*. The details of inmate population growth and cost are shown below:

Year 1	1 Inmate	\$16,300
Year 2	2 Inmates	\$36,600
Year 3	3 Inmates	\$48,900
Year 4	4 Inmates	\$65,200
Year 5	6 Inmates	\$97,800
Year 6	8 Inmates	\$130,400
Year 7	10 Inmates	\$163,000
Year 8	12 Inmates	\$195,700
Year 9	14 Inmates	\$228,300
Year 10	16 Inmates	\$260,100

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



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*Section 9-6-119, TCA, requires that: *For any law enacted after July 1, 1986, which results in a net increase in periods of imprisonment in state facilities, there*

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shall be appropriated from recurring revenues the estimated operating cost of such law.